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- ☒ Return Post Card

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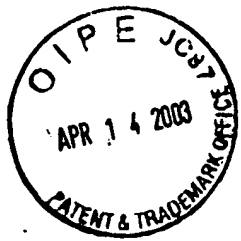
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Sir/Madam:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the Applicant requests consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement.

Compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits in the above-identified case.

Information Cited

The Applicant hereby makes of record in the above-identified application the information listed on the attached form PTO-1449 (modified). The order of presentation of the references should not be construed as an indication of the importance of the references.

The Applicant hereby makes the following additional information of record in the above-identified application.

The applicant would like to bring to the Examiner's attention the following co-pending applications that may contain subject matter related to this application:

<u>Serial No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Inventor(s)</u>
09/748,077	December 22, 2000	Andrew Cofler et al.
09/748,762	December 22, 2000	Andrew Cofler et al.
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Applicant would like to bring to the Examiner's attention the enclosed search reports from corresponding International or Foreign National Applications.

- 1) Standard Search Report in connection with British application No. 9930587.2, counterpart of US Serial No. 09/748,077
- 2) Standard Search Report in connection with British application No. 9930586.4, counterpart of US Serial No. 09/748,785
- 3) Standard Search Report in connection with British application No. 9930588.0, counterpart of US Serial No. 09/748,762
- 4) Standard Search Report in connection with British application No. 9930590.6, counterpart of US Serial No. 10/021,763

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A copy of any document cited anywhere in the Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed unless otherwise indicated on the attached form PTO-1449 (modified). It is respectfully requested that:

1. The Examiner consider completely the cited information, along with any other information, in reaching a determination concerning the patentability of the present claims;
2. The enclosed form PTO-1449 be signed by the Examiner to evidence that the cited information has been fully considered by the Patent and Trademark Office during the examination of this application;
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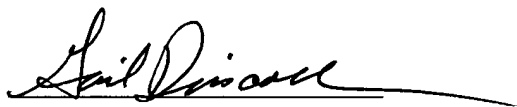
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An early and favorable action is hereby requested.

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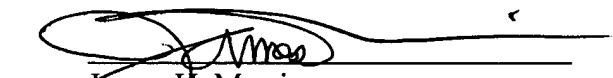
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#### U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner's Initials #	Cite No.	U.S. Patent Document		Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication or of issue of Cited Document MM-DD-YY
		Number	Kind Code		
		5,754,839		Pardo et al.	05/19/98
		5,715,440		Ohmura et al.	02/03/98
		5,752,013		Christensen et al.	05/12/98

#### FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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		EP	0 849 674		Deao et al.	06/24/98		
		EP	0 810 519		Karp et al.	12/03/97		

#### OTHER ART — NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

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